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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3622  
PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 09812.0681

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Katsumi YOSHIZAWA	)	Group Art Unit: 3622
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Application No.: 09/727,633	)	Examiner: Arthur D. Duran
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Filed: December 1, 2000	)	Confirmation No.: 4183
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed January 25, 2007, the period for response extending through April 25, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in light of the following remarks.